HOUSE AND HOUSEHOLD.

To Cook Oysters.

Fried oysters should be large. Drain and wipe them upon a cloth and pressing and wope on top of them. Season fine crackor crumbs with pepper, and after rolling each oyster in beaten egg, roll in this and fry, a few at a time, in equal parts of butter and lard, smoking hot. Drain on brown paper and serve with celery or lettuce, dressed with oil and

pancake griddle, and after dropping a small bit of butter on it, place an oyster upon it, and as soon as it browns drop upon it, and as soon as it browns drop their names until those are fine tracking in the child. mother bit of butter beside it, and turn It is the father who then chooses the carefully on to this and brown the other name by which the child is afterward side. Serve with salad or as a second

course at dinner.
For fricassee of oysters, drain off all the liquor, spread the oysters in a hot the liquor, spread the oysters in a hot frying-pan and stir them about carefully until they are plumped and rutled on both sides; then skim them out into a warm dish and stand it on the back of the range. To the liquid in the frying-pan, add an equal quantity of rich milk a tablade of page. Bring it to a boil nda blade of mace. Bring it to a boil, and season in the proportion of half a teaspoonful of salt and half a saltspoonnat of pepper to each cupful of liquid.
Allow a teaspoonful of flour for the same: wet in cold water and cook it thoroughly in the liquid, seasoning well with butter. Then remove from the are; add a teaspoonful of lemon juice; stir quickly, and add the well beaten volks of two eggs. Now place the system in the sauce; place the pan over the fire, and as soon as they are heated me me, and as soon as they are neated men the mass into a hot dish. The dish is ruined if allowed to boil after the systems are added. Fricasseed systems are served up in different ways. Boston crackers may be split, toasted and buttered, and the oysters turned over them; or they may be eaten with sandwiches of coin or graham bread that are cut very thin, and after butter is spread on them a few drops of lemon juice are queezed on the butter.

To make oyster patties, drain a quart oysters and chop with a sharp knife, but not tine. Heat a pint of rich milk boiling hot; thicken it with a tablespoonful of flour wet in cold milk; season with , saltspeanful of white pepper, a pinch of cayenne and salt to taste, and stir and smooth and well cooked. Stir in the oysters and a tablespoonful of butter, and lastly the well beaten yolks of two loon baled in party-pans with the mix type: set in the over three minutes and and to the table. Some cooks serve it cognille cups without any further king, and a teaspoonful of lemon the is often added to the tilling.

Oyster Bisque is the most delicious of all oyster soups. Place a quart of oysers over the tire in their own liquor, with a terspoonful of white pepper and bit of cayenne. As soon as the oysters are plump, skim them up and add a teaeapful of cream, one of white stock, a bay leaf, two blades of mace and a teaspoonful of lemon juice. When it boils, kin the liquid, return the oysters and tell three minutes, stirring constantly, tech one tablespoonful of flour into two butter, and stir the bisque until it is deetly smooth. The well-beaten yolk two eggs is often added at the last.

is by no means essential. For oyster salad drain and plump the ysters in a hot frying-pan, and set away atil perfectly cold. Take the hearts out nice lettuce heads and shred one-third - much as you have oysters. Arrange to lettuce about the edge of a platter, cap the oysters in the center, and pour er them a liberal allowance of mayonr them a fiberal aboving proportion:
disc made in the following proportion:
five tablespoonfuls of salad oil, to four
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vinegar, one teaspoonful of salt, the ch of fresh made mustard and pepper. vdd the dressing just before sending to the table. Shredded celery is also deli-dens to serve with salad.

For pickled cysters drain and plump we down cysters and skim them out me a worm dish; add to the juice in the into a warm dist; and to the finite in the can half a teacupful of vinegar; bring to the bolling point and skim; season with one teaspoinful of mace, one of salt and a dozen each of whole cloves and pepper kernels. Seald the pickle five minutes, but in the oysters, and as soon as they out in the oysters, and as soon as they reach the boiling point remove from the lire, cover closely and set in a cool, dark place. They should always stand twenty-four hours in the pickle before being used, but grow tough after standing a few days in vinegar. If the vinegar is not strong or the liquid does not make enough pickle to cover the oysters double the areasynt of vinegar used. the amount of vinegar used.

V Sore Throat Cure. An excellent gargle is made of ham-manuells or witch hazel, glycerine and water, with the proportions of three tea-sprenduls of water, two of witch hazel sprentiuls of water, two of witch hazel and one of glycerine. A gargle of hot water is useful in allaying inflammation. For diphtheritic throats, flour of sulphur, lissolved in whiskey and water, is often efficacious. There are other remedies which physicians use, but the simple nome gargles may be so useful that it will not be found necessary to summon a physician. In cases of sore throat the taking of milk in large quantites is recommended. A milk diet is always safe. taking of milk in large quantites is re-commended. A milk diet is always safe. The milk may be heated over the gas on small heaters sold for the purpose, and if taken in small quantities once in two hours is more strengthening than taken at larger intervals in larger measures.

Old Tinetures.

Great care should be taken in administering remedies in the form of tinctures which have stood for a long time in small ials in the family medicine closet. When the bottles happen to be loosely corked the alcohol readily evaporates, eaving the drug in the form of a concentrated tincture, the pharmacopeial dose of which might produce very serious, if not fatal, results.

mother. Sometimes the father wishes the mother. In that case two lamps are placed over the two names, and the name over which the lamp burns the brightest is the one given to the child.

In an Egyptian family the parents choose a name for their baby by lighting three wax candles; to each of these they give a name, one of the three always belonging to some deified personage. The candle that burns the longest bestows

the name upon the baby.

The Mohammedans sometimes write years. Santeed oysters are more delicate than fried oysters and as easily prepared, and these they place in the Koran. The name upon the first slip drawn out is given by the first slip drawn out is

called. The Chuese give their boy babies a name in addition to their surnames, and name in addition to their surnames, and they must call themselves by these names until they are twenty years old. has for a long time been as white as At that age the father gives his son a new

name. The Chinese care so little for their girl babies that they do not give them a baby name, but just call them Number One, Number Two, Number Three, according to their birth.

Boys are thought so much more of in China than girls are that if you ask a Chinese father who has both a boy and a girl how many children he has he will always reply, "Only one child."

German parents sometimes change the name of their baby if it is ill: and the Japanese are said to change the name of a child four times.

YOUTH'S DEPARTMENT.

TOO YOUNG.

A Story for the New Year.

Over steep mountain passes, past blooming mendows, through many a village and by many a lordly castle, wandered a venerable pilgrim, his staff in his hand, his garment girded with a cord.

What art thou seeking, plous wander, with so much fervour, and such indefatigable zeal?

'I seek a blessed soul,' replied the pilgrim. It has been revealed to me by the Archangel St. Michael, the conqueror of Satan, that in Heaven there is already prepared a throne of dazzling splendour, studded over with diamonds and sapphires; beneath a golden canopy, in the midst of the choir of Scraphim : and I am sent to seek a soul worthy to take possession of this throne-but upon this one condition only, that it is not too young."

Go forward, then, good pilgrim, and continue your search. You will find no lack of gray beads in any country under

the sun. The pilgrim wandered far and wide: at length he discovered, in an out-of-theway little town, the mother of a family, surrounded by her children and grandchildren. Three of her sons served their country as soldiers a fourth had dedicated himself to the service of God in tamily of nine children, who were brought up under the eyes and beneath the watchful guardianship of their grandmother. Why should not this holy soul pass from the throne of cenerable old age to the golden throne in Heaven.

On Sunday after Mass, the good pil-grim fell upon his knees, and with a

But the Prince of Heaven said to him : Faithful servant, you must seek further yet. The name you present to me, although it is truly venerable, cannot attain to so high a reward as that I have attain to so high a reward as that I have shown to you. It is true, indeed, that this soul has lived on earth for eighty-tour years; but according to the reckoning of her Angel Guardian, she numbers only twenty years. She is therefore much too young, and must even yet spend some years in Purgatory. (to, and seek still further.)

Three months later on our pilgrim, spent and weary with travel and fatigue, brought three other names to St. Michael.

of his origin than by his illustrious virtues. The old baronial castle of the Faikos steed on the highway from Germany to Italy. The present lord of the castle was of a great age, and yet he kept open house for all who were friend-less, unfortunate, or destitute. Often he himself waited upon them at table, or washed their feet, consoling them the noble earthly mansion up to the heavenly

throne?
The second name was that of a widow woman, who served God all the days of her life with fastings and prayer, like the woman in the Gospel. She had ever since she lost her husband devoted her-self entirely to works of Christian self entirely to works of Christian charity, such as nursing the sick, taking care of orphans, furthering the cause of missions; she was, indeed, called by everyone—'Eyes to the blind, and the help of all in affliction,' Her praises were in everyone's mouth, and all the city in which she lived extelled her for her good works.

The third and last name was that of

The third and last name was that of one who had formely been a Zouave. He was only eighteen yearsold when he entered the Papal service; and when he was twenty he was entrusted with the command of a regiment. He from the claws were 18½ inches round and measured 37 inches from tip to tip, while the cause entirely at his own cost. He became a perfect terror to Garibaldi's free-twelve days old, and usually by the The third and last name was that of

Italian banditti. In the battle of Castelfor another name than that selected by fidardo he was wounded severely, and narrowly escaped death. He was then obliged to retire to his home, where

he led a quiet, peaceful life; and although weak in body, was full of energy and enthusiasm for all that concerns the honour of God and His holy Church. Courage and sanctity scemed to be, as it were, his very heritage, and might, it was supposed, make up for what he lacked in years, for he had hardly reached the age of forty

Proud of such a catalogue of aspirants for the heavenly throne, our pilgrim of-fered it with alacrity to St. Michael, when he appeared to him after Mass on Sunday. But he returned it to him ving in northern Japan, do not receive almost immediately, and said:

'Faithful servant, you must seek yet further. These names are indeed dear and venerable before the eyes of the Most High; but those who bear them are still too young.'

snow.

'And yet,' smilingly answered St. Michael, 'he is younger than the Papal soldier. Their Angel Guardians require for all these three some time longer yet before their souls shall be fitted and ripe for eternal life. Therefore go and pursue your search still further.'

Our pilgrim, whilst he was completely puzzled and unable to understand or comprehend this measure for gauging time for eternity, yet redoubled his zealous efforts to discover that special treasure which St. Michael so desired to

Seven weeks he had spent in fervent prayer and diligent research, when suddenly again, one Sunday after Mass, the Archangel stood before him. He had on his shining breast-plate; on his left arm was his shield with its brilliant cross upon it, and his sword was girded at his

'I have but one name to offer you, said the pilgrim, with a very lowly mien; and of this one even I have not much to tell you: but, however, here it is.' And he held out his paper and gave it to the holy Angel, who took it with a

Hardly had the Heavenly Prince read the name than the church was il-luminated with a supernatural light; a sweet fragance from Paradise diffused itself around; celestial melodies floated on the air; and the pilgrim at once became aware that he had at length found the blessed soul for which he had so long and so carnestly sought. And then he saw this soul ascend into the air, and rise higher than the tower of the church, shove the neighbouring mountains, beyoud the clouds, above the stars, up to the Heavenly Jerusalem, where it took possession of the glorious throne which shone with radiance in the midst of the hoirs of the Scraphim.

'But,' asked the pilgrim, still wrapped in cestasy, 'how old was this soul according to the heavenly reckoning?

And St. Michael vonehsafed to answer

'This Saint was only twenty-three years old according to your earthly reckoning, but according to the computacated himself to the service of God in the Priesthood, and had gone as Missionary to the distant lands of the hour of his life has been spent without taken the veil in religion, and her taken the veil in religion, and her damphers had a numerous all the rest have been used in acquiring the mass of the hour of his life has been spent without gaining something for eternity; whereas all the rest have been used in acquiring the mass of the hour of his life has been spent without gaining something for eternity; whereas all the rest have been used in acquiring the mass of the hour of his life has been spent without gaining something for eternity; whereas all the rest have been used in acquiring the mass of the hour of his life has been spent without gaining something for eternity; whereas all the rest have been used in acquiring the has true life. Many and many a day he has reaped thirty, sixty,nay, even a hundred fold, the fruitof eternal life. By his works of love, his acts of faith and hope, by his many mortifications and deeds of selfdenial, he hastruly reached an honourable and venerable old age. One glass of water given in charity, from a pure timid yet gladsome heart, offered to St.

Michael the name of this good grandmother, together with a description of on of eternal delight in the Kingdom of the Father. In order to lead a truly holy life, or rather, to lead what counts as life at all in the sight of the Angels, you must love God here during your exile on earth, as we love Him in our Heavenly Home. And so, also, must you love your neighbour purely for God's sake, otherwise you will receive no reward for it from God.'

As the Angel finished speaking he disappeared, leaving a sweet fragrance behind, but the pilgrim raised his hand to Heaven

and prayed:

O Lord, teach me to know the true value of my lifetime. Grant that I may Three months later on our pilgrim, spent and weary with travel and fatigue, brought three other names to St. Michael.

It need hardly be said that he had selected these from amongst thousands and thousands.

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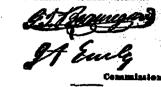
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